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PART V.

Season Report for the Week ending with the 2nd Saturday in 1920 (10th January 1920).

	District and Station	Rainfall up to 8 A.M. on Saturday: This week		Last ten years' average for the corresponding week		Up to the end of the week from 1st January 1920: This year		Average of past ten years		Excess (+) or defect (—) of column 4 compared with column 5		Price of food grains in seers per rupee and market fluctuations in prices of food grains			
1		2		3		4		5		6		7			
		I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.		This week	Past week	Past ten years' fortnightly average
													Seers.	Seers.	Seers.
BANGALORE.	Bangalore C. & M. Station	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...				
	„ City & Taluk	0	25	0	04	0	75	0	09	+ 0	66				
	Hoskote	0	80	0	06	0	80	0	11	+ 0	69				
	Dodballapur	0	43	0	05	0	91	0	07	+ 0	84	Rice, 2nd sort.	3·50	4·00	6·25
	Nelamangala	0	51	0	08	0	57	0	10	+ 0	47				
	Kankanhalli	...	...	0	01	...	...	0	06	— 0	06	Ragi	6·50	7·50	13·68
	Magadi	0	12	0	01	0	12	0	04	+ 0	08	Kulthi	5·50	7·00	11·50
	Channapatna	...	...	0	01	...	...	0	05	— 0	05	Kadale	3·50	4·00	7·43
	Anekal	0	12	0	01	0	61	0	08	+ 0	53				
	Devanhalli	0	30	0	10	0	80	0	15	+ 0	65				
	Closepet	...	...	...	...	...	...	0	04	— 0	04				
	District average...	0	25	0	04	0	46	0	08	+ 0	38				
KOLAR.	Kolar	0	30	0	07	1	10	0	14	+ 0	96	Rice, 2nd sort.	4·25	4·50	7·72
	Bowringpet	0	15	0	06	0	80	0	16	+ 0	64				
	Chintamani	1	05	0	02	1	68	0	06	+ 1	62	Ragi	6·00	6·25	17·23
	Mulbagal	1	32	0	04	2	64	0	19	+ 2	45	Kulthi	6·25	6·50	11·75
	Sidlaghatta	0	92	0	14	1	26	0	14	+ 1	12	Kadale	3·50	3·25	9·10
	Chikballapur	0	90	0	03	1	41	0	07	+ 1	34				
	Bagepalli	1	59	...	...	1	59	...	...	+ 1	59				
	Goribidnur	1	00	0	04	1	00	0	04	+ 0	96				
	Malur	0	62	0	06	1	17	0	14	+ 1	03				
	Srinivaspur	1	60	0	04	1	88	0	11	+ 1	77				
	Gudibanda	2	10	...	...	2	10	0	03	+ 2	07				
	District average...	1	05	0	05	1	51	0	10	+ 1	41				
TUMKUR.	Tumkur	0	81	0	01	0	95	0	02	+ 0	93	Rice, 2nd sort	4·00	4·00	8·00
	Maddagiri	1	32	0	05	1	71	0	08	+ 1	63				
	Chiknayakanhalli	0	37	0	01	0	37	0	19	+ 0	18	Ragi	6·50	8·00	18·00
	Sira	0	45	...	...	0	45	0	04	+ 0	41	Kulthi	5·50	6·00	10·00
	Gubbi	...	...	...	...	0	25	0	04	+ 0	21	Kadale	2.75	3·00	8·00
	Tiptur	...	...	...	...	0	29	0	01	+ 0	28				
	Pavagada	0	69	...	...	0	69	..	...	+ 0	69				
	Kunigal	...	...	0	07	...	...	0	07	— 0	07				
	Koratagere	1	22	0	01	1	22	0	03	+ 1	19				
	Turuvekere	...	...	...	...	0	35	0	11	+ 0	24				
	District average....	0	49	0	02	0	63	0	06	+ 0	57				

	District and Station	Rainfall up to 8 A.M. on Saturday: This week		Last ten years' average for the corresponding week		Up to the end of the week from 1st January 1920: This year		Average of past ten years		Excess (+) or defect (—) of column 4 compared with column 5		Price of food grains in seers per rupee and market fluctuations in prices of food grains			
		2		3		4		5		6		7			
		I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.		This week	Past week	Past ten years' fortnightly average
MYSORE.	Mysore ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0	09	— 0	09				
	Chamrajnagar ...	...	...	...	...	0	49	0	20	+ 0	29		Seers	Seers.	Seers
	Seringapatam ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0	01	— 0	01	Rice, 2nd sort.	4·50	4·50	6·49
	Hunsur ...	...	...	0	01	0	31	0	04	+ 0	27	Ragi	7·50	7·50	14·31
	Yedatore ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...				
	Heggaddevankote ...	...	...	0	01	0	25	0	02	+ 0	23	Kulthi	6·00	6·00	13·46
	Gundlupet ...	...	...	...	...	2	09	0	07	+ 2	02	Kadale	3·25	3·25	7·33
	Nanjangud ...	...	...	0	01	0	10	0	05	+ 0	05				
	T.-Narsipur ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0	08	— 0	08				
	Malvalli ...	...	...	...	...	0	35	0	03	+ 0	32				
	Mandya ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0	09	— 0	09				
	Krishnarajpete ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0	01	— 0	01				
	Nagamangala ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0	09	— 0	09				
	District average...	...	...	...	...	0	27	0	06	+ 0	21				
HASSAN.	Hassan ...	0	13	...	...	0	58	0	02	+ 0	56	Rice, 2nd sort.	4·50 to 5·00	5·00 to 5·50	8·00
	Manjarabad (Saklespur) ...	...	...	...	...	0	18	0	10	+ 0	08	Ragi	7·50	8·00	16·00
	Arkalgud ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...				
	Belur ...	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*				
	Channarayapatna ...	0	15	0	10	0	15	0	11	+ 0	04	Kulthi	5·50 to 6·00	6·00	15·00
	Arsikere ...	0	08	...	...	0	16	...	...	+ 0	16				
	Hole-Narsipur ...	...	...	...	...	0	05	...	...	+ 0	05	Kadale	3·00	3·00	7·00
	Alur (Sub) ...	...	...	...	...	0	31	...	...	+ 0	31				
	District average...	0	05	0	01	0	20	0	03	+ 0	17				
SHIMOGA.	Shimoga ...	...	...	0	01	...	...	0	21	— 0	21	Rice, 2nd sort.	4·50	5·00	6·64
	Channagiri ...	...	...	0	01	...	...	0	04	— 0	04	Ragi	7·00	7·00	16·57
	Honnali ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0	09	— 0	09				
	Shikarpur ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0	03	— 0	03	Kulthi	4·50	5·00	10·83
	Sorab ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...				
	Sagar ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...				
	Nagar (Kallurkatte)...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0	03	— 0	03				
	Tirthahalli ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0	06	— 0	06				
	Kumsi ...	1	06	0	01	1	06	0	06	+ 1	00				
	District average...	0	12	...	...	0	12	0	06	+ 0	06				
KADUR.	Chikmagalur ...	0	03	...	...	0	16	...	...	+ 0	16	Rice, 2nd sort.	4·00 to 5·50	4·00 to 6·00	4·00
	Kadur ...	...	...	0	02	...	...	0	02	— 0	02	Ragi	7·00	8·00 to 8·50	11·00
	Tarikere ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...				
	Koppa ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Kulthi	5·25	6·00	10·00
	Mudgere ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0	04	— 0	04				
	Narasimharajapura ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...				
	Sringeri ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Kadale	3·00	3·00	4·00
	District average...	...	...	...	...	0	02	0	01	+ 0	01				
CHITALDRUG.	Chitaldrug ...	0	07	0	01	0	08	0	04	+ 0	04	Rice, 2nd sort.	4·00	4·50	7·50
	Challakere ...	0	16	...	...	0	16	0	01	+ 0	15	Ragi	8·00	8·00	18·00
	Hiriyur ...	...	...	0	01	...	...	0	02	— 0	02				
	Holalkere ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0	04	— 0	04				
	Davangere ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0	01	— 0	01	Kulthi	8·00	8·00	15·00
	Molakalmuru ...	0	14	...	...	0	17	...	...	+ 0	17				
	Jagalur ...	0	14	...	...	0	14	...	...	+ 0	14	Cholam	8·00	9·00	15·00
	Hosdurga ...	0	21	...	...	0	21	0	09	+ 0	12				
	Haribar ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0	14	— 0	14				
	District average...	0	08	...	...	0	08	0	04	+ 0	04	Kadale	4·00	3·00	7·25
		...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...				
	Provincial average...	0	26	0	02	0	41	0	05	+ 0	36				

NOTE.—Rice (husked)—Oryza Sativa. Cholum—Sorghum Vulgare.
Ragi—Eleusine Corocana. Kadale—(Bengal gram) Ciser Arietinum
Kulthi—(Horse gram) Doliches Biflorus.
* Report not received

DISTRICT REPORTS.

8. Markets how supplied.

9. Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable outturn of harvests, serious damage done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.

10. Prospects of season, tracts in which the rainfall has been insufficient, areas affected by scarcity, number of people under relief, and state of food stocks.

11. Public health.

12. Remarks as to the condition of agricultural stock, failure of pasturage, of fodder, etc.

BANGALORE CIVIL AND MILITARY STATION.

(Report for the week ending Saturday the 3rd January 1920).

	Average for the past five years of the corresponding week.	*Current.*	
Prices of food grains—Boiled rice (2nd sort) ...	6·15	4·02	Quantity per rupee by the standard seer of 80 tolas.
Ragi	13·40	6·54	
Rangoon rice (2nd sort) ...		5·75	

Agricultural operations.—Paddy is under harvest and thrashing. Cattle are healthy. Water and fodder are sufficient.

	Average for the past five years of the corresponding week.	*Current.*	
Prices of food grains—Boiled rice (2nd sort) ...			Quantity per rupee by the standard seer of 80 tolas.
Ragi		Not received.	
Rangoon rice (2nd sort) ...			

BANGALORE CITY AND TALUKS.

8. Supply fair.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Nil.

Seeds sown.—Paddy in parts of Devanhalli Taluk.

Standing crops.—Sugar-cane, paddy, avare, togari, haraka and Mulberry are in good condition.

Damages to crops.—Castor crop is reported to have been damaged by insects in some of the villages of Kankanhalli Taluk and avare and togari crops have been affected to some extent in Closepet Sub-Taluk.

Crops harvested.—Paddy in parts of all taluks, except Anekal Taluk and Closepet Sub-Taluk; kulthi in parts of Magadi, Channapatna and Anekal Taluks; haraka in parts of Kankanhalli Taluk; samé in parts of Devanhalli Taluk.

Estimated outturn.—Sugar-cane—Kankanhalli and Devanhalli Taluks, 12 annas; Paddy—Kankanhalli and Channapatna Taluks, 12 annas; Nelamangala Taluk, 8 to 12 annas; Hoskote Taluk, 10 annas; Devanhalli Taluk, 8 annas; ragi—Nelamangala Taluk, 10 to 12 annas; Kankanhalli Taluk, 8 to 10 annas; Devanhalli Taluk, 8 annas; kulthi—Kankanhalli Taluk, 12 annas; Channapatna Taluk, 8 annas; Anekal Taluk, 4 to 8 annas.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Food stuffs are available, but prices are still high. Cooly classes find sufficient labour.

11. Public health is generally good, except for plague in parts of Hoskote, Dodballapur, Nelamangala, Kankanhalli, Magadi, Anekal and Devanhalli Taluks; cholera in Nallahalli and Aralimarada Doddi of Kankanhalli Taluk, and small-pox in parts of Nelamangala Taluk.

12. Cattle are generally healthy. Water and fodder are available.

KOLAR.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Seeds sown.*—Vaisakhi paddy in all the taluks and Gudibanda Sub-Taluk.

Crops harvested and their outturn.—Karthika paddy in all the taluks and Gudibanda Sub-Taluk, except Chintamani and Bagepalli, yield 8 to 12 annas; ragi in the taluk of Malur, yield 8 annas; sugar-cane in Goribidnur Taluk yield 12 annas; groundnut in Goribidnur Taluk and Gudibanda Sub-Taluk, yield 8 annas.

Standing crops.—Good.

10. Season prospects good. Prices of food grains continue to be high. Labour available.

11. Public health is generally good, except for plague in a village of Sidlaghatta Taluk and small-pox in a few villages of the Chintamani Taluk.

12. Cattle are generally healthy, except for Rinderpest in a few places of the Bagepalli Taluk. Pasture, fodder and water are available.